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**MEMORANDUM FOR THE DIRECTOR OF CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE**

**SUBJECT: (U) Reappraisal of Soviet Ground Forces**

1. The attached Memorandum was forwarded to the Secretary of Defense on 21 May 1963. We consider it appropriate that he be brought up to date on the current status of the CIA/DIA Panel created to produce a joint Soviet ground force study. An information copy was also furnished the Chairman, Joint Chiefs of Staff.

2. We also considered appropriate that the Secretary of Defense be provided with our views for the Terms of Reference for the Panel, attached to the basic Memorandum. These Terms of Reference are, of course, also attached hereto.

3. In this regard, it is suggested that these Terms of Reference be discussed and approved in a forthcoming meeting of the Panel, 27 May 1963 at 1000 hours in the Pentagon, Room 1E870. Concurrently, we also nominate Colonel L. J. Dulacki, USMC, as the DIA co-chairman of the Panel.

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